



General Assembly

## Substitute Bill No. 5516

February Session, 2014



### **AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF KITCHEN INCUBATORS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective October 1, 2014*) The Commissioner of Economic  
2 and Community Development shall conduct a study of the kitchen  
3 incubator programs established in the states of New Jersey, New York  
4 and Vermont. On or before January 1, 2015, the commissioner shall  
5 report, in accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the  
6 joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance  
7 of matters relating to commerce and higher education on such study.  
8 Such report shall include, but not be limited to, (1) an overview of said  
9 kitchen incubator programs, (2) the potential economic benefits  
10 resulting from establishing a kitchen incubator program in the state,  
11 (3) a recommendation concerning the need for a kitchen incubator  
12 program, and (4) legislative recommendations to implement a kitchen  
13 incubator program, provided the commissioner determines there is a  
14 need for such program.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2014</i>	New section
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**CE** Joint Favorable Subst.

